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Vedhik IAS Academy is one of the **premium IAS Academy in India** having its presence across the nation. Under the leadership of the pioneers in civil services, Vedhik is offering online and offline coaching for civil service aspirants from standard 8<sup>th</sup> to Post Graduation and professionals. The Academic council of Vedhik IAS Academy includes former Chief Secretaries , DGP's, Vice Chancellors and other vibrant officers and subject experts.



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**St. Teresa's College** is one of the most prestigious autonomous college in Kerala affiliated to Mahatma Gandhi University. St. Teresa's is nationally reputed for its academic excellence and discipline . This is one of the NAAC A++ institution in India giving holistic education that enables them to actively participate in community life.

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## **DR. ALEXANDER JACOB IPS.**

Dean of Academics, Vedhik IAS Academy  
Former Director General of Police, Kerala

DR. Alexander Jacob IPS BSc (Chemistry), MA (English), MA (History), MA (Politics), MA (Sociology), PhD. English, the Academic Dean of Vedhik IAS Academy. He rose to the rank of Director General of Police in the Kerala Police Force heading the Prisons Department and assumed Charge as the Managing Director Of Kerala Police Housing Construction Corporation. He was the Superintendent of Police at Kottayam and Kannur. He also worked as the Commissioner of Police at Kochi. He was the Principal of Police Training College, Trivandrum. He was the Deputy Inspector General of Police (DIG), Northern Range (Kerala) and DIG, Armed Police Battalion. He was the Director of Kerala Women's Commission, Secretary-Institute of Management in Government and Joint Director of Kerala Police Academy.

He was the Inspector General of Police(training), Director of Kerala Police Academy. He was awarded the President Police Medal for Meritorious Service by the President of India on the Republic Day, 2004. He was also awarded the Most Prestigious Presidents Police Medal for Distinguished Service in 2011 Republic Day. DR. Alexander Jacob is also involved in teaching many different groups of students for Civil Services and more than 480 students are now serving as IAS, IPS, IFS and IRS officers including All India First rank, Second Rank, Third Rank, Fourth Rank holders in Civil Services Examination

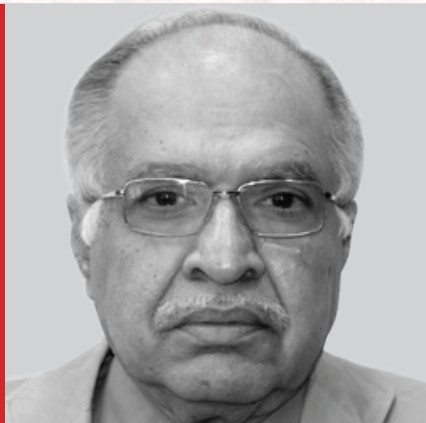


## **DR. BABU SEBASTIAN**

Founder & Chancellor Vedhik IAS Academy,  
Former Vice Chancellor MG & Kannur University

DR.Babu Sebastian MA, MBA, MFT, PhD is the founder and Chancellor of Vedhik IAS Academy. He is the former Vice Chancellor of Mahatma Gandhi University and Kannur University, Kerala. He was the Director of State Institute of Educational Technology, IT@School Project, Victors Educational Channel and State Open School, Government of Kerala. He is the former Professor and Research Guide, Department of Malayalam, St.Thomas College, Pala and produced Seven PhDs. He published books on knowledge management, educational technology Instructional Design and Malayalam Literature. He was the founder of Kerala State E-learning project and produced more than six thousand educational video programmes, three thousand educational audio programmes, two thousand interactive multimedia programmes and presented more than two thousand educational programmes through the Doordarshan Channel.

He bagged the prestigious E-learning Award from Government of Kerala, E-content Award from Government of India, Global E-learning Award from CMAI India, Education Excellence Award from Indian Institute of Oriental Heritage and Best Vice-Chancellor in India Award from Confederation of Indian Universities. He was the Founder of Pala Civil Service Institute and produced Thirty-Two IAS, Twenty Eight IPS, Nine IFS and Thirty One IRS from the State of Kerala, including All India First Rank, Second Rank, Third Rank, Fourth Rank and his 186 students are now serving in the Indian Civil Services



## **DR. G. Prasanna Kumar IAS**

President -Vedhik Erudite Foundation,  
Former Addl. Chief Secretary, Govt. of Haryana

DR. G. Prasanna Kumar was born in Pathanamthitta, Kerala on 16 October 1950. He joined the Indian Administrative Service in 1975 and was allotted to Haryana cadre. He holds post graduate degrees in Chemistry (from Kerala University) and Economics (Panjab University, Chandigarh) and Ph.D. in Economics from Mahatma Gandhi University, Kottayam, Kerala. His Ph.D. thesis was titled "A Critique of the Petroleum Pricing Policy of Government of India". In the state of Haryana he worked as Secretary of Environment, Woman & Child Development, Transport and Fisheries departments. He has worked as Divisional Commissioner of Hisar, Gurgaon and Rohtak divisions and Deputy Commissioner (District Collector), Faridabad. His postings in Haryana also include Director, Panchayats; Director, Town & Country Planning – cum- Chief Administrator, Haryana Urban Development Authority; Managing Director, Haryana Dairy Development Coop. Federation; Director General, Haryana Institute of Public Administration, Gurugram; Chairman, Haryana School Education Board. At the centre, he worked as Executive Director (Vigilance), Kochi Refineries Ltd., Director General, Anti Adulteration Cell, Ministry of Petroleum & Natural Gas and Joint Secretary, Social Justice & Empowerment.

DR. Kumar retired as Additional Chief Secretary to Government of Haryana on 31 October 2010. Subsequently he worked as Director General, Haryana Institute of Public Administration, Gurugram from 2016 to 2019. Presently DR. Prasanna Kumar is associated with 'Jan Kalyan Shiksha Samitee' as President and their civil service coaching academy 'Samkalp'. He is also functioning as Vice Chairman, Indian Institute of Public Administration, Haryana Regional Branch. DR. Kumar has authored two books, 'Petroleum Pricing Policy in India' (2000) and 'Help Your Child Learn Better' (2018) and edited a book 'Case Studies in Management and Innovation' (2019).



## **DR. SHANKAR BIDARI IPS**

Vice President - Vedhik Erudite Foundation,  
Former Director General Of Police, Govt. of Karnataka

Shankar Mahadev Bidari was the Director General and Inspector General of Police (DG&IGP) of the state of Karnataka. An Indian Police Service officer of 1978 batch, he was also the Commissioner of Police, Bangalore City. Bidari hails from Banahatti City in Bagalkot District, Karnataka. He was succeeded as DG & IGP by Abdul Rahman Infant in March 2012. DR Shankar Bidari I.P.S is the most highly decorated police officer in the state of Karnataka. He is decorated with Karnataka Chief Minister's Gold Medal in 1989, Andhra Pradesh Mukyamantri Shourya Padakam in 1990, Karnataka Chief Minister's Gold Medal for the 2nd time in 1991, The Police Medal for Gallantry in 1991, President's Police Medal for Meritorious service in 1995, President's Police Medal for Distinguished Service in 2003, First Bar to the Police Medal for Gallantry in 2011.

Many reputed institutions and associations all over the State have honoured him with titles like "Vishwashri", "Kayakashri", "Basawashri" award carrying a cash component of Rs.5 Lakhs by Shree Murga Mutt, Chitradurga in the year 2012 in recognition of his distinguished service to the society, "Tippu Sultan Award", "Sri Vishveshwaraiah Award", "Pride of Karnataka", "Shishunala Shariff Award", "Kumara Rama Award", "Karnatacashri Award", "Mallikarjun Mansoor Award", "Sangolli Rayanna award", "DR. Ambedkar Award"



## **DR. MOHAMMED BASHEER**

Honorary Vice Chancellor, Vedhik IAS Academy,  
Former Vice Chancellor Calicut University

DR. Mohammed Basheer, presently working as Professor, Department of Arabic, Assam University, Silchar, India, since 12<sup>th</sup> august 2020, is the honorary Vice Chancellor of Vedhik IAS Academy and Member of Governing Board, Vedhik Erudite Foundation. He served as the Vice Chancellor of the University of Calicut, Kerala, India, from 21 november 2015 to 20 november 2019. He worked as a director in College Developmental Council, University of Kerala From November 2019 to May 2020. He worked as a registrar at Kerala University from July 2013 to November 2015. He served as the Haj Coordinator at Consulate General of India, Jeeddah, Saudi Arabia, on deputation by the Ministry of External Affairs, Government of India, for a period of three months each in 2008 and 2010.

He visited Kuwait University as part of Indo-Kuwait cultural exchange Programme of University Grants Commission, Government of India in May 2005. He is the Ex - Principal of Sullamussalam Science College, Areekode, Malappuram, Kerala. He served as the ex-chairman and member of the Peer Team of National Assessment and Accreditation Council (NAAC) India.



## **DR. ROSE VARGHESE**

Academic Dean, Vedhik IAS Academy,  
Former Vice – Chancellor, NUALS, Kochi

An eminent academician, Prof. (DR.) Rose Varghese LL.M., M.Phil, Ph.D, graduated in Law from the Kerala Law Academy Law College, Thiruvananthapuram and completed her Post Graduation in Law from the School of Legal Studies, Cochin University of Science and Technology. She did her M. Phil in Law from the National Law School of India University, Bangalore and Ph. D. from the Faculty of Law, University of Delhi.

Prof. (DR.) Rose Varghese began her professional career in 1976, practising in the High Court of Kerala under the late Senior Advocate S. Easwara Iyer and started her academic career as Lecturer in Law at the A.C. College of Law, Nagarjuna University in 1985. She was then a member of the Faculty at the National Law School of India University, Bangalore from its inception in 1988. She joined the Faculty of Law, Jamia Millia Islamia Central University, New Delhi as an Associate Professor in 1994 and then became a Professor and subsequently, completed her tenure as Dean of the Faculty. She took over charge as the Vice-Chancellor of The National University of Advanced Legal Studies, Kochi, w.e.f. October 23, 2014 and completed her four-year tenure on October 22, 2018.

Presently, she is Director (Academics), Ramaiah College of Law, Bangalore.



## **REV. DR. SR. CELINE**

(Sr. Vinitha CSST) Manager, St. Teresa's College

DR. Sr. Vinitha (Celine E.) she is the manager in Board of management and chairperson of the Governing Body, she joined the department of English in 1988. She was awarded Ph.D by the Mahatma Gandhi University in 1999 for her doctoral thesis on Marxism in Dorris Lessing. She is a recognized research guide of Mahatma Gandhi University, Kottayam, research supervisor of Anna University, Coimbatore and recognized Ph.D examiner of Bharatiar University. She is also the recognized M.Phil guide of Bharathidasan University. She has several research publications to her credit. She is the author of the works Passage to the Sun -Collection of Poems(1999), Encounters-Collection of Poems (2012) and Road Less Travelled and Other Stories (2013). Her spirituality and academics are closely linked. Her motto in life is to reach God through her deeds and help others find the divine. She believes that everything she sees and hears bear the touch of the master and even her writing is an expression of her communion with the supreme



## **REV. SR. EMELINE CSST**

Director, St. Teresa's College

For a long period of 12 years, her sure hand guided the institution. Though the going was not smooth, with her steady thoughts and mathematical precision, she prepared the staff and students to leap forward to the modernist trend in administration and education. She opened the windows of the college to newer ideas and started many new courses - post graduate course in Economics and two vocational courses viz. B.A. Communicative English and B. Sc. Computer Application (UGC Sponsored).

Participation in extra curricular activities was given equal importance as education. Empowerment of women was her motto and she encouraged students to venture into all areas where women could make a mark, and work towards self-realization. The Women's Cell was started in the college during her period.

An uncompromising and successful Principal, she was an incarnation of good will and optimism, of energy and hard work, of perfection and devotion. She was a charismatic person, and everything she did bore the imprints of that



## **DR. LIZZY MATHEW**

Principal - St. Teresa's College

DR. Lizzy Mathew was appointed as the Principal of St. Teresas College in 2020. She was awarded Ph.D by Mahatma Gandhi University, Kottayam for a comprehensive Investigation on Polygalaceae in the year 2003. She was the head of the department of Botany, Member of the College Academic Council and the dean of Research of the college. She was the Principal Investigator of the Minor Project Sponsored by UGC on the Diversity of Flowering Plants in Ambalamedu - an Industrial Belt of Kerala. (2009) and also the Principal Investigator of the Major Project Sponsored by UGC on Sterols as a tool for Taxonomic Identity a Study Focussing on Macroalgae of Kerala and Lakshadweep Coasts. 2013 -2017. She also worked as Additional Examiner: UG & PG of MG University Subject Expert: MG & Calicut Universities for selection of Lecturers, External: Ph.D. Thesis Evaluation of Calicut, Bharathiar & Madurai Universities, Examiner Question Paper setting of Calicut & Kerala Universities for PG and Research, Question Paper setter for PSC Examination, Kerala State etc. She is the Member of PG Board of Studies, Mahatma Gandhi University, Kottayam, Member-Board of Studies, SB College, Changanacherry, Member-Board of Studies, Christ College, Irinjalakuda, Kerala and Member-Board of Studies, Maharajas College (Autonomous), Ernakulam. She has published 52 research articles, 2 books and 6 paper presentations. Teachers truly are the backbone of society and her commitment to society is beyond question. She is the Committee Member of SSSMILE (Sacred Scriptures of Social Message in Living Experience), Vincentian Generalate, Edappally, Nominated member of De-Paul Cancer Trust, Vincentian Generalate, Edappally and Parish Councillor of St. George Forane Church, Edappally etc. She finds goodness in all and appreciates every little effort made by others. Compassionately humane and an idealist grounded in reality, she is an eminent administrator and innovator, whose motto in life is to reach God through her deeds and help others find the divine.

# THE DRIVING FORCE BEHIND VEDHIK IAS ACADEMY



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Former deputy Comptroller and  
Auditor General(CAG), Director NIFM



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